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14. Numbers from PRCs

a. Yes, Increase numbers served

- i. At least 4,000 families will be newly served and receive one or more of the following services at no cost: medical ultrasound, lab-quality pregnancy testing, counseling, parenting programming, life skills training, maternity clothing, and baby material aide.

Currently, collaborative organizations have more individuals than they can serve. As a result, any additional funding will allow organizations to increase existing services at their physical locations.

In order to be a sub-grantee of Pregnancy Help Community, each sub-grantee organization was required to have a written strategic expansion plan if they receive funds. These plans vary based on each organization, but generally the funds will go to increasing office hours available for clients to visit the pregnancy centers. Also, there will be some outreach to local volunteers to help expand the material aide (clothing, diapers, etc.) donation programs in each county.

Our research on pregnancy center outreach shows us that if a faith-based pregnancy center spends \$1 on outreach requesting material donations, \$17 in materials will be donated. This is very helpful when trying to scale grant funding specifically when providing material aide to individuals.

b. Yes, Provide expanded and new services

With these grant funds, each organization will be able to purchase new parenting and life skills curriculum for their parenting programming. Additionally, it will allow each organization to add incentive-based programming to incentivize individuals to complete parenting and life skills classes.

In order to accommodate the increase in individuals participating in parenting and life skills, each organization will train at least an additional two program specialists (existing employees and/or volunteers) in the curriculum so that more trainers can host more classes.

Additionally, PHC will be contracting with Pregnancy Solutions and Services ICU Mobile (PSS) to provide ultrasounds at affiliate organizations, agencies or businesses in Southeast Ohio. PSS owns the only two mobile ultrasound and mobile pregnancy center units in Ohio. This is an effective way to get a pregnancy center resources and medical ultrasounds to parts of the Southeast region that would otherwise have no resources close by. The mobile units are

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spacious, clinical, and are staffed with a nurse or doctor, and a peer counselor or professional counselor to talk with the clients that visit the unit.

c. Yes, Expand geographical area served

Attached in **Tab TA-12** you will see an Ohio county map with the expanded geographical service area that this grant funding will allow us to serve.

Grantee and sub-grantees will be able to expand to 11 counties that are not currently being served by any pregnancy resource organization. Five of those 11 will be served directly by the mobile ultrasound unit. The other six counties will be served directly by the collaborative organizations through outreach and strategic affiliations in each county. Supportive churches, governmental agencies and businesses will become affiliates to expand one-time or ongoing services such as parenting classes, or material aide donation.

d. Yes, Other proposed uses of funding

PHC will utilize American Online Learning Centers to provide DVD and online video content to families who would like to improve their parenting competencies.

Each collaborative organization will be given access to online parenting videos as well as hard copies of the parenting video courses to give to parents who cannot attend in-class programming due to work, family, transportation or school.

Individuals who request an online video course will receive a secure username and password at no cost. The individual will be able to access the video course at their convenience from a computer or smartphone. The online video will give them test questions every seven minutes to ensure they were watching and learning. If all the tests are passed, the individual may be eligible for program completion incentives from their local pregnancy center or from PHC.

Individuals who request a DVD will be given a DVD at no cost. If they do not have access to a DVD player, American Online Learning Centers will provide a portable DVD player at no cost for the individual to borrow so the DVD can be viewed at their convenience. A paper test will be given after the DVD is complete. If the test is passed, the individual may be eligible for program completion incentives from their local pregnancy center or from PHC.

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15. Please see the Appendix A, 15. chart in this section.
16. Southeast Ohio Pregnancy Help Community Collaboration organizations have a litany of partner community organizations that will be broken into categories for your convenience.

Churches: Church partners have a valuable role in the pregnancy community. Church partners and their congregations participate by donating funds and material aide to pregnancy centers. Some churches offer space for educational programs.

Governmental Agencies: Agencies like local health departments, jobs and family services offices, and judicial agencies refer individuals to pregnancy resource organizations in need. Each collaborative organization has developed relationships and partnerships with these governmental agencies to be a resource to their case workers and to the individuals in need or medical, material, or emotional aide. This grant funding will allow each organization to further develop governmental agency partnerships to be used as a community asset.

Medical Communities: Collaborative organizations have developed partnerships with local OBGYN offices and other medical professionals so they are aware of the services that are provided by pregnancy resource centers. In some parts of the region, OBGYN offices will work directly with the local pregnancy resource center to provide free pre-natal care to patients and offer parenting classes to their patients through the pregnancy center partnership.

Businesses: Businesses offer funding support and material aide donations. Some businesses have expressed interest in providing gifts to new mothers and to individuals who complete parenting programs or life skills classes. Some businesses have offered meeting space to provide classes or material aide donation pick up after pregnancy center office hours.

17. (A) Subject to division (E) of section 5101.801 of the Revised Code, there is hereby created the Ohio parenting and pregnancy program to provide services for pregnant women and parents or other relatives caring for children twelve months of age or younger that do both of the following:

(1) Promote childbirth, parenting, and alternatives to abortion;

(2) Meet one or more of the four purposes of the temporary assistance for needy families block grant as specified in 42 U.S.C. 601.

(B) To the extent permitted by federal law, the department of job and family services may provide funds under the program to entities with which the department enters into agreements under division (B)(3) of section 5101.801 of the Revised Code. In accordance with criteria the department develops, the department may solicit proposals from entities seeking to provide services under the program. The department may enter into an agreement with an entity only if it meets all of the following conditions:

(1) Is a private, not-for-profit entity;

(2) Is an entity whose primary purpose is to promote childbirth, rather than abortion, through counseling and other services, including parenting and adoption support;

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(3) Provides services to pregnant women and parents or other relatives caring for children twelve months of age or younger, including clothing, counseling, diapers, food, furniture, health care, parenting classes, postpartum recovery, shelter, and any other supportive services, programs, or related outreach;

(4) Does not charge pregnant women and parents or other relatives caring for children twelve months of age or younger a fee for any services received;

(5) Is not involved in or associated with any abortion activities, including providing abortion counseling or referrals to abortion clinics, performing abortion-related medical procedures, or engaging in pro-abortion advertising;

(6) Does not discriminate in its provision of services on the basis of race, religion, color, age, marital status, national origin, disability, or gender.

(C) An entity that has entered into an agreement with the department under division (B)(3) of section 5101.801 of the Revised Code may enter into a subcontract with another entity under which the other entity provides all or part of the services described in division (B)(3) of this section. A subcontract may be entered into with another entity only if that entity meets all of the following conditions:

(1) Is a private, not-for-profit entity;

(2) Is physically and financially separate from any entity, or component of an entity, that engages in abortion activities;

(3) Is not involved in or associated with any abortion activities, including providing abortion counseling or referrals to abortion clinics, performing abortion-related medical procedures, or engaging in pro-abortion advertising.

(D) The director of job and family services shall adopt rules under division (C) of section 5101.801 of the Revised Code as necessary to implement the Ohio parenting and pregnancy program.

18. The target audience will be low-income single mothers, or expectant mothers, age ranging from 16 to 25 years old. Collaborative organizations will not discriminate or charge fees for any individuals regardless of age, race, income, or religious belief.

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Please thoroughly describe any other proposed use(s) of funding including description of services and other pertinent information.

15. Services and numbers of new individuals served

In the chart below, indicate a minimum of three (3) program activities your agency will provide. Include the anticipated number of new individuals that your agency will serve (for the duration of the grant period) in each activity and the total numbers you plan to serve. Please feel free to add rows to include services not listed.

Program Service	New Number Served	Program Service	New Number Served
Clothing	2,000	Parenting Classes	950
Counseling	1,000	Postpartum Recovery	
Diapers	1,900	Transportation	
Food		Other (describe)	
Furniture	700	Other (describe)	
Health Care /ultrasounds	700	Other (describe)	
		Total	6750

16. Describe your agency's relationship with partner community organizations or agencies that will be used to carry out the program activities, including: 1) the name of each partnering organization (whether contractual or non-contractual relationship); 2) the roles and functions for the applicant and each individual partner organization; 3) services each partner will provide; 4) whether or not the partner organization(s) have collaborated with the applicant on similar projects in the past; 5) the number of years of collaboration with each partner; and, 6) the location of partner offices.

17. Define the eligibility requirements for the services provided. Additional eligibility standards may be added but requirements of §5101.804 of the Revised Code must be included.

18. Include a description of the target audience that will be serviced by the provider.